

**ENTERED**

March 06, 2017

David J. Bradley, Clerk

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS  
HOUSTON DIVISION**

REBECCA ELIZABETH THOMPSON,

Plaintiff,

V.

CAROLYN W. COLVIN,  
ACTING COMMISSIONER OF THE  
SOCIAL SECURITY ADMINISTRATION,

Defendant.

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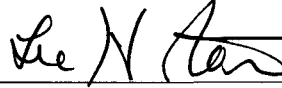
CIVIL ACTION NO. H-16-00553

**ORDER ADOPTING MEMORANDUM AND RECOMMENDATION AND GRANTING  
THE DEFENDANT’S MOTION FOR SUMMARY JUDGMENT AND DENYING THE  
PLAINTIFF’S MOTION FOR SUMMARY JUDGMENT**

This court has reviewed the Memorandum and Recommendation on Cross-Motions for Summary Judgment of the United States Magistrate Judge signed on February 14, 2017, and has made a *de novo* determination. Rule 72(b), Fed. R. Civ. P.; 28 U.S.C. § 636(b)(1)(C); *United States v. Wilson*, 864 F.2d 1219 (5th Cir. 1989). Based on the pleadings, the record, and the applicable law, the court adopts the Memorandum and Recommendation as this court's Memorandum and Order. This court finds and concludes that the Administrative Law Judge's decision denying social security benefits was supported by substantial evidence in the record and that the Administrative Law Judge properly applied the legal standards. Rebecca Elizabeth Thompson's motion for summary judgment, Docket Entry No. 10, is denied, and the Commissioner's cross-motion for summary judgment, Docket Entry No. 8, is granted.

Final judgment dismissing this case with prejudice is entered by separate order.

SIGNED on March 3, 2017, at Houston, Texas.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Lee H. Rosenthal', written over a horizontal line.

Lee H. Rosenthal  
Chief United States District Judge